Episode 102 Before Anyone Else

KYLE-KUN!
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LET GO!
AREN'T WE BEST FRIENDS!?
LEAST YOU FORGET THAT I AM AN EXISTENCE THAT SURPASSES GODS ...
AS IF I CAN'T JUST KILL THE IT.
YOU'RE ALBERT-KUN, RIGHT?
GIVE US BACK OUR WEAPONS IF YOU DON'T WANT ANYTHING TO HAPPEN TO HIM

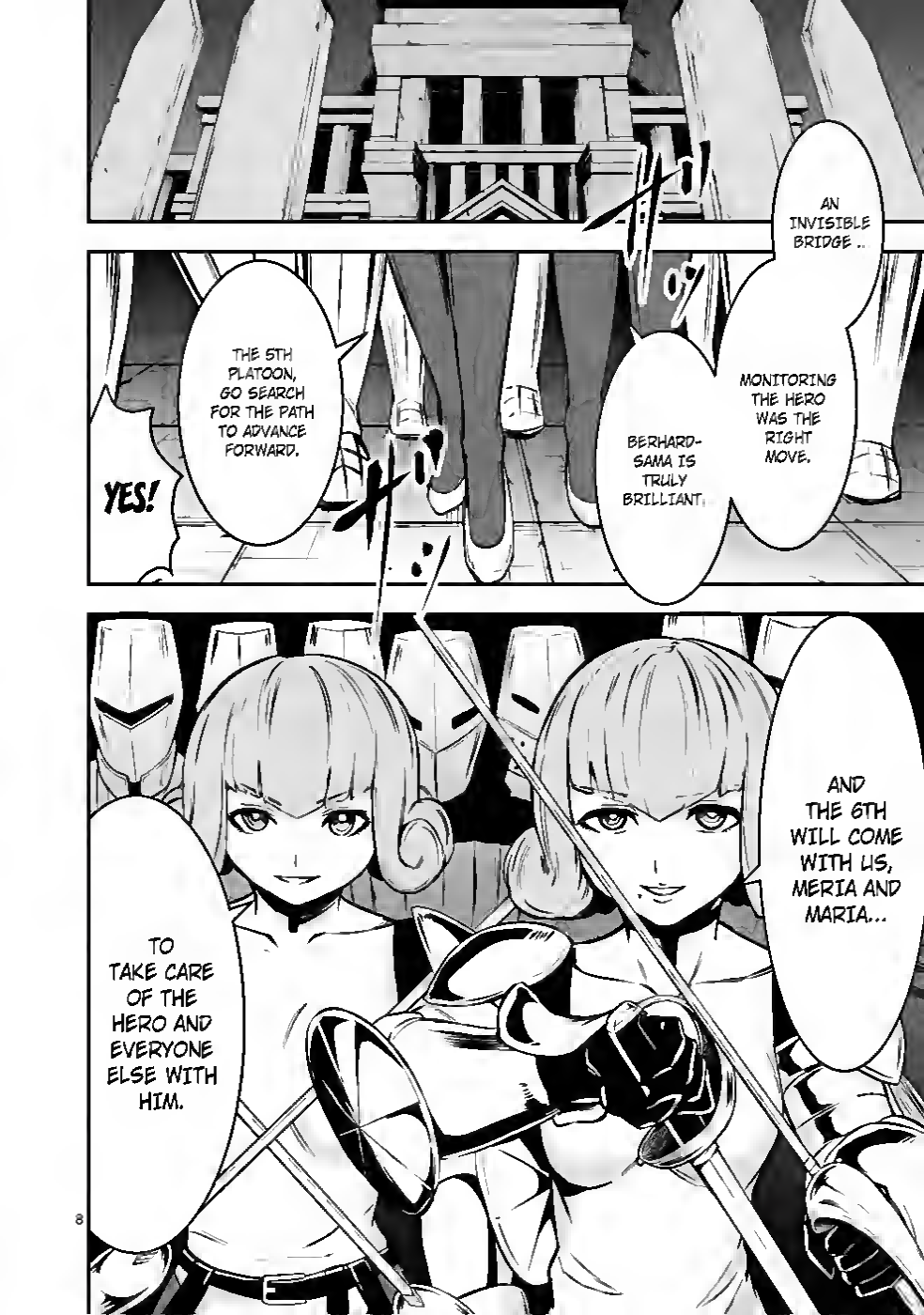
FEEL FREE TO DO WHAT YOU WANT TO THE PRINCE.
NO, WE WILL NOT RETURN YOUR WEAPONS.
THEN I'LL START WITH HIS RIGHT EYE!
ARE YOU BETTING ON THE FACT THAT I WON'T HURT HIM JUST BECAUSE WE'RE FRIENDS?
REALLY? IS THIS WHAT YOU GUYS WANT? HOW NAIVE.
SPURT
!?
AAAH ...!

FEELS ...
PLEASE ALLOW ME...
SO GOOD ...
TO LET YOU EXPERIENCE THIS PLEASURE AS WELL.
BACKS OFF
EMPTY EXUVIA!
THAT IS THE SAME SHAPE AS THE KNIFE I STABBED HER WITH ...
SHE'S USING SOME KIND OF COUNTER MAGIC ...!
ON THE OTHER HAND, BERHARD-KUN'S MAGIC MUST BE...

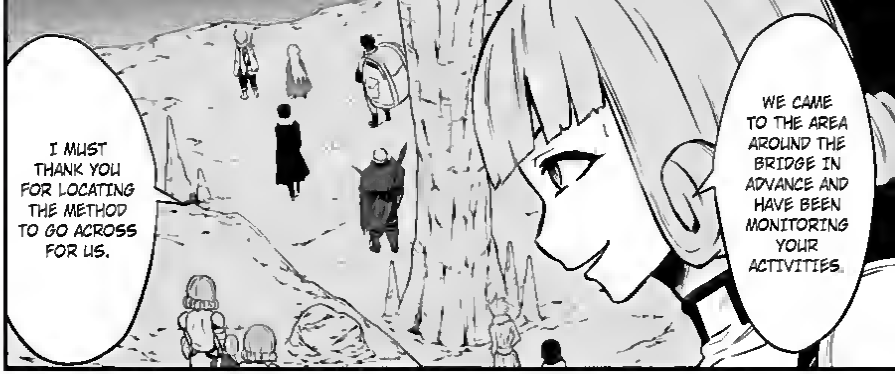
THIS WAS A GIFT FROM MY FATHER, KNOWN AS THE RULER'S RING.
WHAT YOU'VE WITNESSED IS JUST ONE OF THIS RING'S MANY POWERS.
WHENEVER MY LIFE IS IN DANGER, I WILL SWITCH PLACES WITH ONE OF THE PEOPLE I'VE FORMED A CONTRACT WITH.
TO THIS DAY, I'VE FORMED THIS CONTRACT WITH 1000 PEOPLE IN THE ROSELIA ARMY.
YOU CAN'T KILL ME UNLESS YOU KILL ALL 1000 OF MY SUBORDINATES.
YOU CAN THINK OF ME ...
AS THE ROSELIA ARMY ITSELF.

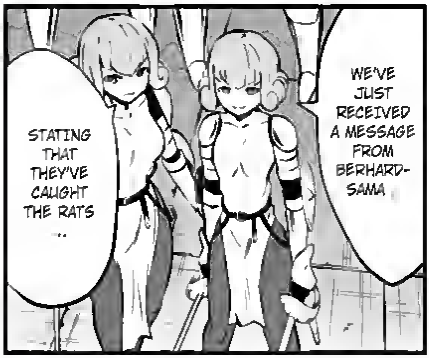
KYLE!
LET'S ESCAPE FROM THE WINDOW!
!?
HOW DO YOU LIKE MY PARALYSING NEEDLES!
THIS IS WHAT YOU GET FOR NOT PAYING ATTENTION TO ME!

I CAN'T ...
MOVE MY BODY...
USING WEAPONS IN A GAME OF TAG... IS DEFINITELY AGAINST THE RULES...
SO, PRINCE! HOW ABOUT I JUST KILL THEM RIGHT HERE RIGHT NOW!?
RULES?
DIDN'T YOUR SIDE USE WEAPONS FIRST?
THEY ARE MY BEST FRIEND'S FRIENDS.
HOW CAN I BE SO HEARTLESS?
I'LL HAVE YOU GUYS FORM A CONTRACT WITH ME AS WELL.
BECOME TOOLS FOR MY WORLD DOMINATION.


AN INVISIBLE BRIDGE..
MONITORING THE HERO WAS THE RIGHT MOVE.
BERHARD-SAMA IS TRULY BRILLIANT.
THE 5TH PLATOON, GO SEARCH FOR THE PATH TO ADVANCE FORWARD.
YES!
AND THE 6TH WILL COME WITH US, MERIA AND MARIA...
TO TAKE CARE OF THE HERO AND EVERYONE ELSE WITH HIM.

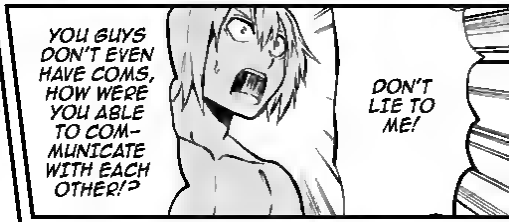
WHY THE HELL ARE YOU GUYS HERE ...!?
WHY THE HELL ARE YOU GUYS NAKED ...!?


I MUST THANK YOU FOR LOCATING THE METHOD TO GO ACROSS FOR US.
WE CAME TO THE AREA AROUND THE BRIDGE IN ADVANCE AND HAVE BEEN MONITORING YOUR ACTIVITIES.


WE'VE JUST RECEIVED A MESSAGE FROM BERHARD-SAMA
STATING THAT THEY'VE CAUGHT THE RATS ..

TCH, THEY'VE SEEN THROUGH US...
TOUKA-DONO...! THAT MEANS YUNA-DONO AND THEM ARE...!

YUNA! MARGARET! AND MAYBE BUT NOT REALLY, KYLE!
ARE YOU GUYS OKAY? ANSWER ME!


DON'T LIE TO ME!
YOU GUYS DON'T EVEN HAVE COMS, HOW WERE YOU ABLE TO COM-MUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER!?

MERIA AND I HAVE FORMED A CONTRACT WITH BERHARD-SAMA'S RING
WE CAN COMMUNICATE NO MATTER HOW FAR APART WE ARE BECAUSE OF IT.
WHY DON'T YOU CONFIRM IT WITH YOUR FRIENDS?

WAIT, THAT SOUNDS LIKE AN OLD MAN! WHO THE HELL ARE YOU!?
YUNA ...?
TOUKA ...
EVERY-ONE'S ALRIGHT.
AN ADVENTURER WHO STAYED BEHIND TO RELAY YOUR MESSAGES FOR YOU.
Message Conveyor
HEY, YUNA! DID YOU GUYS GET CAUGHT!?
IF YOU DID, THEN I'M COMING BACK TO SAVE YOU GUYS IMMEDIATELY ...!
DO NOT COME BACK...
PLEASE BELIEVE IN US, TOUKA-SAN...
WE WILL, NOT DIE!

YUNA... MAR-GARET ...
AND THAT CONVEYOR OLD MAN...
YOU MUST GET TO HELL'S GATE BEFORE ANYONE ELSE!
AND SAVE THE WORLD!
WE CAN ONLY BELIEVE THEM..
THE DEMON LORD'S CORPSE WILL BE TAKEN IF WE HEAD BACK NOW.
YUNA... MAR-GARET ...
DON'T YOU DARE DIE ON ME ...

STEPS IN
TOUKA.
LEAVE THESE PEOPLE TO ME.
YOU GO ON AHEAD AND FIND THE PATH TO HELL'S GATE.
!
I'LL USE THAT BAG.
I'M NOT ALONE.
BUT THERE'S NO WAY YOU CAN TAKE THAT MANY PEOPLE ON ALONE...!
DON'T LET THEM GET AWAY!
I GOT IT! GOOD LUCK, MASTER ...!

!?
YOU'RE NOT GETTING PAST ME.
SHE'S A NECRO-MANCER!
EVEN IF YOU USE NECRO-MANCY, YOUR MANA WILL NOT BE ABLE TO KEEP UP WITH OUR NUM-BERS!
YOU CAN'T STOP US, MERIA AND MARIA, ALONE!
THAT'S TRUE...
BUT I'M NOT THE ONLY ONE HERE, YOU KNOW?
EIN ARATRON

RELEASE PETRIFI-CATION!
I CAN MOVE ...
UFUFU ...
I CAN MOVE MY BODY AGAIN.
THAT'S ...
NO WAY ...

DIANA FILION ...
THE STRONGEST NECRO-MANCER ...!
UFUFU... IS THIS SAGELAND?
THE TEMP-ERATURE SURE ISN'T AS HIGH AS IT USED TO BE.

Touka Afterwards...

ARE YOU WORRIED ABOUT YOUR MASTER...?
EVEN SO...
ANRI, LEONARD...
I... WANT TO GO BACK TO MASTER...
I CAN'T LEAVE HER BY HERSELF...!
I CAN'T LEAVE THOSE TWO BEAUTIFUL LADIES WITH SUCH CHARMING THIGHS BY THEMSELVES...!
YOU'RE REFERRING TO THAT!?
AT LEAST LET ME PUT KNEESOCKS ON THEM FIRST...!
WE'RE SHORT ON TIME, LET'S GO
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LET ME GO! COMPARED TO SAVING THE WORLD, I'D RATHER SAVE THOSE GORGEOUS THIGHS!
I HAVE TO FREE THEM!